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Our Case No.: 9683/84

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Takashi Suzuki et al.

Serial No.: 09/827,639

Filing Date: April 6, 2001

For: Device and Method for Reducing  
Delay Jitter in Data Transmission

Examiner: To Be Assigned

Group Art Unit No.: 2661

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents A1-A5 listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of

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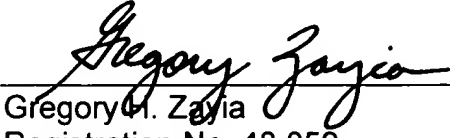
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Respectfully submitted,

  
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## REFERENCE DESIGNATION

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS/ SUBCLASS	FILING DATE
	A1	5,640,388	06/17/1997	Woodhead et al.		
	A2	5,652,627	07/29/1997	Allen		
	A3	5,966,387	10/12/1999	Cloutier		

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS/ SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION YES NO	
	A4	EP 0 778 710 A2	06/11/1997	EPO			X
	A5	EP 0 982 970 A2	03/01/2000	EPO			X

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